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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 8, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET & CO., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTH, Ladgate Circus, E. C. BATES, HENDY & CO., 1, Old Jewry, E. C. SAMUEL DRACON & CO., 100 & 104, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE:—LEON DE ROSNY, 19, Rue Monnaie, Paris.

NEW YORK:—ANDREW WIRD, 133, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:—GORDON & GOTH, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO:—and American Ports generally:—DRAFF & BLACK, San Francisco.

SINGAPORE AND STRAITS:—SAYLE & CO., Square, Singapore. C. HEINSEN & CO., Malacca.

CHINA:—Macao, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO & Co. Swatow, CAMPBELL & Co. Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co. Foochow, HEDDER & Co. Shanghai, LAKE, CRAWFORD & Co. and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, LAKE, CRAWFORD & Co.

BANKS.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND,.....1,300,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—W. H. FORBES, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—HON. W. KESWICK.
E. R. BRILLIUS, Esq.
H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.
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A. MELVER, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.
Hongkong,.....THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
Shanghai,.....EVEN CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, February 15, 1879.

NOTICE.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

THE AGENCY of this BANK at Foochow will be CLOSED and WITHDRAWN from 1st July next.

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS and FIXED DEPOSIT RECEIPTS will be PAID there AT ONCE with INTEREST to Date, and transferred to this Branch at the Exchange of the Day at the option of Constituents.

GEO. O. SCOTT,
p. Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, May 28, 1879.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION of 30th APRIL, 1863.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP.....£3,200,000.
RESERVE FUND.....£300,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, RUE BERGASSE, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at: LONDON, BOULBON, SAN FRANCISCO, MARSEILLE, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOCHEW.

LONDON BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. G. VOULLEMONT,
Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

Banks.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

THE following Rates of Interest are allowed on FIXED DEPOSITS:—
For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 3 " 2 per cent. " "

H. H. NELSON,
Manager.

Hongkong, May 31, 1879.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL.....£800,000.
RESERVE FUND.....£150,000.

BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS,
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. CHAN HING WO in our Firm CEASED on the 21st day of January, 1879.

MAN FOOK SING HONG,
60 and 62, Bonham Strand.

Hongkong, June 6, 1879. jy6

NOTICE.

MR. NGAN FOOK HOP was admitted a PARTNER in our Firm on the 22nd day of January, 1879.

MAN FOOK SING HONG,
60 and 62, Bonham Strand.

Hongkong, June 6, 1879. jy6

NOTICE.

MR. JAMES ANDERSON, formerly Manager of the Foochow Dock, has this Day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

J. INGLIS & Co.,
Victoria Foundry, Wanchai.

Hongkong, April 1, 1879. jy8

NOTICE.

FROM the 1st JULY, 1879, our Business in Hongkong will be CONDUCTED under the Firm or Style of NORONHA & Co. and at Shanghai under that of NORONHA & SONS.

Mr. A. J. NORONHA is authorised to sign our Firm in Hongkong per Procuration.

NORONHA & SONS.
Hongkong, July 4, 1879. jy18

Intimations.

NOTICE.

OUR OFFICE has To-day been REMOVED to 8, Praya Central.

REISS & Co.
Hongkong, July 1, 1879. jy15

WANTED for the SALES of HORN & STEWARD.

Apply to the Under-
H. G. THOMSETT,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, July 4, 1879. jy18

NOTICE.

SUN SHING has REMOVED to No. 62, QUEEN'S ROAD, Opposite the CHARTERED BANK.

Hongkong, June 24, 1879. jy24

NOTICE.

HONGKONG COMMERCIAL EXCHANGE.

THE EXCHANGE ROOMS in MARINE HOUSE, Queen's Road Central, are open Daily for the use of MEMBERS from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Special Days—TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, from 12 to 3.30 and 4 to 4.30 p.m.

Applications for admission as Members to be addressed to

E. GEORGE,
Secretary.

Hongkong, June 18, 1879.

Intimations.

EX LATE ARRIVALS.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS, Latest Editions.
CAVENDISH ON WHIST.
POLE'S THEORY OF WHIST.
WALKER'S CORRECT CARD.
BALBRIGGAN UNDERSHIRTS (A Novelty).
WIRE RAT TRAPS.
BULL'S EYE LANTERNS.
BATH SPONGES.
WHITE BRO'S PORTLAND CEMENT.

LAWN TENNIS BATS, BALLS, and NETS.
LAWN BOWLS, QUITS and OTHER GAMES.
Scotch Home-made JAMS and JELLIES.
PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS.
ICE PITCHERS and PAILS.
AUTOMATON UMBRELLAS.
FRENCH BOOTS and SHOES.
English BOOTS and SHOES.

CHRISTY'S BLACK and DRAB HATS.
"YOU DIRTY BOY."
COPE'S GOLDEN CLOUD TOBACCO.
American GOLDEN LEAF TOBACCO.
Well-Seasoned CIGARS.
MEERSCHAUM PIPES and CIGAR TUBES.
POCKET-KNIVES.
QUININE.
CONSTABULARY REVOLVERS.
SPIRIT LEVELS.
New Style CHIT BOOKS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, June 19, 1879.

HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 10th Proximo, both days inclusive.

A. NEWTON,
Manager.

Hongkong, June 19, 1879. jy10

KELLY & WALSH, PUBLISHERS, BOOKSELLERS, STATIONERS, TOBACCONISTS & NEWS AGENTS.

BEG to intimate that they will Open a BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT in MARINE HOUSE, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong (next door to the Exchange).

Mr. WALTER BREWER will SIGN per Procuration.

Shanghai, June 1879. jy10

G. FALCONER & Co., WATCH and CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS, AND JEWELLERS.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.
46, Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, June 20, 1879. jy20

NOTIFICATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Section, about 64 miles, of the Company's GUTZLAFF NAGASAKI CABLE has been RE-LAID from the South to the North of the PARKER, SADDLES and BARREN ISLANDS in a curve from GUTZLAFF to the NORTH SADDLE, running along ELLIOT, CHESNEY and SIDE SADDLES, about 1 mile distant, and from the NORTH SADDLES LIGHT, bearing South, 1 mile distant, in an E. by S. direction about 31 miles, passing the PARKER ISLANDS until they bear W. 1/2 N. distance 6 miles, when the Cable is again applied into the old Line running in a straight line about E. N. E. till midway between PALLAS ROCK and MEASIMA (Asses Ears) on the coast of Japan.

GEORGE J. HELLAND,
General Agent.

GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
HEAD OFFICE, Shanghai, June 20, 1879. jy30

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has established himself at the premises formerly occupied by LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co., a dealer in Wares, as

AUCTIONEER, APPRAISER AND COMMISSION AGENT.
All GOODS entrusted for SALE will be fully covered by FIRE INSURANCE.

G. R. LAMBERT.
Hongkong, July 1, 1879.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS will visit SHANGHAI during the Summer Months, leaving HONGKONG on the 1st of April next, and returning about 1st November.

Hongkong, February 10, 1879.

NOTICE.

FROM the 1st of OCTOBER, DR. EASTLAKE will receive his PATIENTS at his new DENTAL ROOMS, No. 60, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, over the MEDICAL HALL.

Hongkong, September 23, 1878.

NOTICE.

ON and After the 16th Instant, my Representatives for the SALE of all COAL produced from the Takasima Mines will be

At Nagasaki,
MR. RYLE HOLME.

At China Ports,
Hongkong and Elsewhere,
Messrs JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Or their Agents.

NAKAHARA KUNINOZUKE.
Nagasaki, June 13, 1879.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with the Articles of Agreement, the Directors have declared a DIVIDEND to POLICYHOLDERS for the FIFTEEN MONTHS ending 31st December 1878, of THIRTY-THREE PER CENT. ON THE NET PREMIA CONTRIBUTED, payable at our OFFICE on and after the 15th Instant.

POLICYHOLDERS are requested to send in particulars of their Contributions.

By Order of the Directors,
RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, May 5, 1879.

Intimations.

SEALED TENDERS will be Received by the Undersigned until Noon, on TUESDAY, the 8th July, for LAYING about 2,400 feet of CAST IRON WATER PIPES (the Pipes to be provided by Admiralty) from the Reservoir on the Hill behind Naval Hospital, Mount Shadwell, to the Hospital Buildings, and for FIXING FIRECOCKS, HYDRANTS, &c., in connection with the Same, according to Plans and Particulars which may be seen on Application at this Office.

JOHN BREMMER,
Naval Storekeeper.

H. M. Naval Storekeeper's Office,
Hongkong, 1st July, 1879. jy8

NOTICE.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

THE Undersigned begs to inform his Friends and the Public generally that he has engaged the Services of a THOROUGHLY QUALIFIED EUROPEAN ASSISTANT, who will attend solely to the DISPENSING DEPARTMENT, hoping thereby to merit in a greater degree their Confidence and Patronage.

WM. CRUCKSHANK.
Hongkong, June 26, 1879. jy26

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for Hongkong and China for the Sale of their LEAD by the MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, June 27, 1879. se27

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.

The Steamship "DOUGLAS,"
Capt. YOUNG, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 6th Inst., at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co.
Hongkong, July 3, 1879. jy6

AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

Taking Cargo and Passengers for all Australasian and New Zealand Ports, TASMANIA, NEW CALEDONIA & FIJI.

The Company's Steamship "OCEAN,"
due here in a few days, will receive prompt despatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, July 2, 1879.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Company's Steamship "TANANIS,"
Command. DE LA MARCELLE, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, July 1, 1879.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Company's Steamship "AMAZON,"
Commandant LORRAINE, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, July 1, 1879.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Bark "CHASCA,"
Captain WARBURN, will load here, and will have quick despatch for the above Port.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, July 4, 1879.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 British Bark "COLWYN,"
BULLMAN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will be despatched on the 15th July.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
VOGEL & Co.
Hongkong, June 21, 1879. jy18

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 American Ship "SOUTH AMERICAN,"
Captain KNOWLES, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, June 13, 1879.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Schooner "IRENE,"
Captain YATES, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, May 21, 1879.

FOR NEW YORK.

The 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship "MONTE ROSA,"
C. O. CARTER, Master.

For Freight, apply to
VOGEL & Co.
Hongkong, July 3, 1879.

FOR HAMBURG.

The 3/3 L.I.I. German Bark "HELENE,"
VOLGARDSEN, Master.

For Freight, apply to
VOGEL & Co.
Hongkong, June 25, 1879.

FOR LONDON.

The A 1 British Bark "GAUNTLET,"
LUCAS, Master.

For Freight, apply to
VOGEL & Co.
Hongkong, June 6, 1879.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from J. G. SMITH, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,

the 11th July, 1879, at 2 p.m., at his Residence, No. 3, Blue Building, Praya East,—

The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., (Mostly English-made),

Comprising:—English-made Walnut Drawing-room Suite covered in Crimson Damask.

English-made Walnut Centre Table and Canterbury.

Crimson Velvet covered Ottoman.

Teak Card Tables and Side Tables, Oleographs, Ormolu Drawing-room Clock, Chimney Glasses, and Ornaments.

English-made Mahogany Telescope, Dining Table and Sideboard.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, in Quarts and Pints.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, May 26, 1879.

FOR SALE.

(To close a Consignment.)

A Few Cases RUINART'S well-known CHAMPAGNE, at \$10 per Case of 1 dozen Quarts, \$11 per Case of 2 " Pints.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, June 17, 1879. j17

SELLING OFF.

AS it is necessary to Effect a COMPLETE CLEARANCE by the end of the present month, The whole of LAMBERT ATKINSON & Co.'s

REMAINING

VARIED STOCK,—

comprising:

FAMILY STORES.

WINES.

SPIRITS.

ALCOHOLS.

STATIONERY.

BOOKS.

ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

GLASSWARE.

CROCKERY.

SHIPHANDLERY.

&c., &c., &c.

Will be sold at FURTHER GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Hongkong, June 4, 1879. —

NOW READY.

A CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT, Parts I. and II. A to M, with Introduction. Royal 8vo., pp. 404.—By ERNEST JOHN EITEL, Ph.D. Tübingen.

Price: Five Dollars, or Two Dollars AND A HALF per Part.
To be had from Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai; and Messrs KELLY & WALSH, Shanghai.

Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

TO LET.

ON MARINE LOT No. 65, formerly known as the "Blue Houses," Praya East.—A GROUND FLOOR and A FIRST FLOOR, either separately or together. Also, Top Floor of No. 3, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.
Apply to MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, June 3, 1879.

TO LET.

(On Pedlar's Wharf.)

OFFICES, fronting the Harbour, and GODOWNS, with possession from the 1st of July next.

Apply to G. R. LAMBERT.
Hongkong, June 14, 1879.

TO LET.

HOUSES—No. 9, ZETLAND STREET, and No. 7, FEDDER'S HILL.
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, April 29, 1879.

TO LET.

OFFICES in CLUB CHAMBERS, Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAK & Co.
Hongkong, April 8, 1879.

"ROSE VILLAS"—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, BONHAM ROAD, WITH Large TENNIS LAWN.
Apply to SHARP & DANBY, No. 8, Queen's Road Central, late Messrs E. D. SASSOON & Co.
Hongkong, May 10, 1879.

TO LET.

MANHATTAN HOUSE—WEST, SECOND FLOOR and a GODOWN.
OFFICES in Queen's Road, now under the occupation of Messrs WILSON & BIRD, and Messrs DAVIS & Co.
Also,
OFFICES and GODOWN in DUNDRELL STREET.
Apply to E. R. BELLIOS.
Hongkong, May 21, 1879.

RAILS.

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NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.
STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE,
ADEN, SUER, ISMAILIA, PORT
SAID, NAPLES, AND
MARSEILLES;
BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND
PORT LOUIS.

ON TUESDAY, the 8th of July, 1879, at Noon, the Company's S. S. AYA, Commandant ROLLAND, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 7th of July, 1879. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, June 25, 1879. j18

U. S. MAIL LINE,
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CHINA will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 15th July, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

On Through PASSAGES TO EUROPE, A REDUCTION OF TWENTY PER CENT from Regular Rates is granted to OFFICERS OF THE ARMY AND NAVY, AND MEMBERS OF THE CIVIL AND CONSULAR SERVICES IN COMMISSION.

Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m., the 14th July. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Copular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, June 20, 1879. j15

Occidental & Oriental Steam Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL

and UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES, AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. OCEANIC will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on or about August 1st, 1879, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai.

Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 31st July. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PASSAGE TICKETS.

Copular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Office addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Queen's Road Central.

H. M. BLANCHARD, Acting Agent.
Hongkong, July 8, 1879. aul

INSURANCES.

SWISS LLOYD TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY OF WINTERTHUR.

INSURANCES granted on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World.

MEYER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, June 8, 1879. 8jue80

SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE.

INSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduction in Premium for LIFE Insurance in China.

MEYER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, June 2, 1879. 2jue80

INSURANCES.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

MELOHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER—of—His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.

Policies at current rates payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two Thirds of the Profit, are distributed annually to Contributors whether shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premium contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH, Secretary.
Hongkong, December 9, 1878.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STEELING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £100,000 " Reserve Fund upwards of £120,000 " Annual Income £250,000 "

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rate of Premium current at the above mentioned Ports.

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THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of *Notes & Queries on China and Japan*, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details. The "China Review, or Notes and Queries on the Far East," is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such extra matter. The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage paid, per annum, payable by non-residents in Hongkong half-yearly in advance. The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelago and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese, are admissible. Endeavour, are made to present a resume in each number of the contents of the most recent works bearing on Chinese matters. Great attention is also paid to the Review department. Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which, though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible. The *China Review* for July and August, 1878, is at hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty-paged, bi-monthly, repository of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Review. Address *China Review*, Hongkong.—*Northern Christian Advocate* (U.S.).

Trübner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the *China Review*:—"This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as a supplement to a continuation of *Notes and Queries on China and Japan*, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the *Calcutta Review*. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. By a paper on Dr. Legge's *Shi King*, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connection with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and fresh ones are marked by both accuracy and freedom of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. G. Bowring, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China as the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, it carried out to notice, in detail, we are glad to notice, that it is hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which has been displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the *China Review* may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and to form a substantial octavo magazine.

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A CHINESE junk from Singapore with cargo of tree bark, when beating into Macao harbour, was boarded by a few Customs House officials, and ordered to enter the Ribeira Grande Customs station to pay the necessary duties. Arriving there the cargo was found to weigh more than the bill on loading showed, and the Customs officials thereupon confiscated both cargo and hull. The master of the junk reported the case to the Macao Authorities, who sent the Harbour-Master to demand the release of the junk; on that demand not being attended to by the mandarin in charge he proceeded on board the junk with four water police constables and gave orders to proceed to Macao. The mandarin surrounded the junk in a minute with steam launches and more junks, and the Harbour-Master was summoned under threat of sword and gun to show by whose authority he was ordering the release of the junk. The Harbour-Master, says the *Daily Press*, from which we glean the above, deemed it prudent to return to Macao, and this news reaching the Governor the *Yick* was ordered to be ready for service, and the *Yick* returned.

as heretofore would have been able to send an
 elicitor a different reply from the Home Office
 authorities to the one they have now sent. I
 may still the P. & O. Company to make
 the future departure of their steamers from
 Yokohama correspond with the homeward
 steamer from Hongkong; but as a purely
 commercial line, it will not suit them to
 despatch their steamer from Hongkong to
 this solely in connection with the arrival of
 the outward mail at that port. We have
 to-day received an English Mail within a few
 days of its London date; but we must now
 be prepared to hear that future mails, which
 might reach us in even less time, have been
 detained in Hongkong for a week or per-
 haps more. When this happens the com-
 munity will doubtless feel the necessity of
 making more urgent appeals than the one
 already addressed to the British Postmaster
 General; but foreseeing the certainty of
 such inconvenience in the future, would it
 not be better to make these representations
 now? Quick as our homeward mails can
 now be delivered in London by the
 American route, that line affords us no
 alternative facility for the letters coming
 from England.

At 6 P. M. Steams June 30th, in confinement of the steams made use by the Chinese steamer *Shun Lee*, belonging to the China Coast Steam Navigation company, is likely to be total wreck. She was heading N.W.N.E. and during a gale which ensued was running round with her head S.E. This was the position she was in on Monday when the *Appin* arrived with Captain Boltcott, Messrs. J. Bell-Irving, C. P. Blethan, and P. V. Grant. She lies on pointed rocks, and at high tide she has twenty feet of water over her bow and fifteen feet at her stern. Her main hold and engine compartments are full of water, but there was little in the ballast tank. The crew had removed all her deck fittings, and on Monday she showed signs of commencing to break up. The guys had been carried away from the smoke stack which seemed ready to fall; the lower main deck, forward of the boilers, was broken up; the boilers and machinery were gradually being forced from their positions by the movement of the vessel on the rocks, and sea striking her broadside; and the saloons and cabins were beginning to yield to the strain to which they were subjected. The vessel is not in a sheltered bay as was once supposed, but is exposed to all winds from the E.S.E. to W.S.W., and our correspondent says it is thought the first gale will break her to pieces. Her Captain and crew went forward to Chefoo in the *Appin*, arrangements having been made with the Mandarin of the district for the steamer's commodore and his assistant to stay behind to look after the cargo left on shore. At Chefoo a Naval Court of Inquiry was to be held, composed of C. T. Gardner, Esq. H.M.'s Consul, the Navigating Lieutenant of H.M.'s gunboat *Egretta*, Captain Brown of the British ship *Wallace Castle*, with Paymaster W. H. W. Markham, of H.M. gunboat *Swinger*, clerk of the Court—Messrs. C. P. Blethan and P. V. Grant—turned to Shanghai by the *Pauhan*, arriving on Saturday; and Mr. Bell-Irving and Captain Bolton are expected to return in the *Appin* at the end of the week.

ed between the Chinese and the English has gradually given way, and the Chinese have come to love the English more and more, to such an extent that Chinese patriots, that is the "expulsion of barbarians" party, are actually displeased with the result, from which it is clear, that, leaving his private virtues out of the question, he is much to be believed for his public virtues.

When we come to ask, what is the object of Mr. Hennessy's present visit, it appears that he directs not only postal business, but also all other affairs of importance which concern the East, and it was natural therefore, that he should desire to become acquainted with the state of things in our country.

He found that discrepancies occurred in the reports of the Minister about the state of things in our country to his own Government and to the Government of Hongkong, and in the reports of missionaries, and other English travellers and residents in our country, so that he found it difficult to decide as to the facts and that sometimes important variations from the truth motivated by the prejudices of individuals were reported to him; so that he often felt in the position of one who is trying to scratch his foot from the outside of his boot. And especially whereas Europeans formerly held Japan in contempt, and thought she was unworthy to be taken into account, he knew that of late years a most extraordinary movement had taken place, that her progress had not yet reached its goal, and that he occupied a position certainly not to be despised, and he determined to make a journey thither, mainly in order to see with his own just and impartial eyes the real point of progress reached by the Empire of Japan, and thus possess the means of being able to state his opinion to the Governments of his country. It is also said that he has advised the Government of his own country to make our silver coin a current coin in the Hongkong markets, but that before this matter was settled, the English Government

individual interest or not possible, but the real advantage also of the British manufacturers, and shipowners, more perhaps than any other foreign power, as Your Excellency's country has the most mercantile marine in the world. There is an old Japanese maxim that, "if men wish to profit themselves they must allow others to profit," and I believe the selfish object of your Excellency's claims, is no other than what is contained in the moral of this maxim, and is in reality unselfish. In conclusion, as regards the present commercial position of Japan, I believe we are now approaching a point of development, I regret much there are certain obstacles in the way—obstacles, the removal of which I maintain to be of vital national importance—they obstruct the development of our finances, our commerce, and our industries, and it is only natural for your Excellency, interested as you are as the Governor of one of England's most important commercial Colonies, to distinguish, and to discern the nature of these obstacles, and the course to adopt to remove them; if these impediments are removed it is payable that all Foreign commerce, but especially British commerce and shipping in the future will be promoted, and I think that no time should now be lost, to

Subscription are invited for the capital necessary for establishing a Marine Insurance Company in this port under Japanese auspices. The amount of the capital required, is fixed at yen 500,000, and is to be divided into 5,000 shares of yen 100 each.

The ex-king of Lochnoo has taken rank as one of the nobles of Japan, as far as it is possible, the change has been effected with every consideration for the feelings of a monarch, who now has to take his independent position. On Tuesday the ex-king Shotai, accompanied by Shoten and by about 20 retainers, received by His Majesty the Mikado, the former received the nobles' patent of Junior Third rank (Jusemami) and that of the Junior rank (Jugoku).

King was requested to make Tokio his residence for the future, the house of the former councillor of State, was presented to him for that purpose.

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Police Intelligence.

(Before the Hon. C. B. Plunket).

Saturday, July 6th.
Abing. was charged with haying.

rs unknown, stolen a pair of
the Lam Sing shop; but as
evidence was weak he was discharged.

On Ahing, a fisherman, was charged with fault, but the plaintiff was found to be presently deaf and dumb, and made unable to explain matters. Case

Ang Apling, cooly, was sent to four months imprisonment for having been found in the unlawful possession of a basket of opium on the Praya East.

man named Li Awan got fourteen months in prison for stealing a jacket from a man in a brothel. He said she seduced him, so he took hers; but he was not believed.

gave chair-coolies were charged with concern in a disturbance, and a man. The row arose over water from one storey of a house through the floor on those under of the prisoners who seemed to less-to do with disturbance than was discharged; the others \$5 each and ordered to enter of \$20 or suffer six months imprisonment.

Young Aling was sent to 14 days' imprisonment as a rogue and a vagabond, and was ordered to be, at the end of that time, in his own country. He had been there already before the Court on a similar charge, when he got fourteen days' imprisonment.

ong Sin, a coolie, was sent to jail
th, with hard lab ur, for stealing
property of a man he had been sleep-
g side of the other night.

Another man (Fang Atim) was sentenced to the same term of imprisonment for possession of one opium pipe valued \$2

Japan.

(Mail.)
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The S. S. *Serapie*, from New York direct for Shanghai, Yokohama, and Higo, via Suez Canal, brought 20,980 packages of merchandise for this port. This is, we believe, the first through shipment by steamer from New York to this port. Some time since, the New York papers, referring to the growing importance of the trade between the United States and Japan, said that it was in contemplation to start a direct steamer service via Suez, but as far as we can gather no definite steps have as yet been taken in the matter; and such service will entirely depend on the market demands. The present import comprises about 50 tons lead, 50 bales cotton goods, cloaks, scales, drugs, medicines, kerosene and sundries.

We understand that Mr D. A. J. Crombie has received letters by the mail to-day (21st) confirming his appointment as Agent of the Oriental Bank Corporation at Yokohama. We have to congratulate Mr Crombie on his nomination and the Court of Directors upon their choice.

We regret to learn that a telegram has recently been received announcing that Oosaka, by cholera, yesterday, of Mr Kasano Kumakichi, the Manager of the Kogio shokwai. This epidemic is raging with considerable violence in the Okayama Ken (Bizen) where some three hundred cases are reported. From the Notification we print in another column it will be observed that the Governor of the Kanagawa Ken has taken prompt measures to prevent, if possible, the introduction of this epidemic into his province. We are glad to hear that no fatal cases have yet occurred in our neighbourhood, but being forewarned is forearmed, and the foreign community, whilst avoiding all unnecessary alarm, will doubtless be glad to see that the authorities are taking every possible precaution to prevent the disease reaching Yokohama.

The Japanese ship, *Tōyō Maru*, has been chartered by an American and is to sail shortly for Russia. As far as we can recollect, this is the first instance on record of a Japanese vessel being chartered by foreigners, and is an indication of the steady advances being made by the Japanese in commercial pursuits.

advertisements from the Russian Vice-Consul appeared during the past week which refers, in an official way, to a scandal that has been the subject of much talk since the departure of the last American mail. It is to be hoped that the difficulties which are said to exist in the way of justice being brought home to the absconder—referred to in the Vice-Consul's notice—may be overcome, and that the public in other countries may be duly warned of the imposition that has been practised upon Yokohama. Such events, fortunately, are of rare occurrence but when they do occur it is advisable that—in justice to the public—they should not be hushed up.

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